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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CVIS, ETRN, PFOR, CH, US

SUBJECT: VISAS FOR CHINESE AIRCRAFT CREW MEMBERS

REFS: A) PEKING 543; B) STATE 066437; C) PEKING 630;

D) PEKING 542; E) STATE 63141

1. WE AGREE THE BEST SOLUTION WOULD BE FOR CREW TO USE
REGULAR PASSPORTS WITH MULTIPLE-ENTRY D-1 VISAS ISSUED FOR
TEST FLIGHTS. USLO SHOULD RECOMMEND THIS TOMFA.

2. IF MFA INSISTS ON USING NEW SERVICE PASSPORTS, USLO
SHOULD ADVISE MFA THAT, DUE TO SHORTAGE OF TIME, DEPARTMENT
IS WILLING ON A ONE-TIME BASIS ONLY TO OVERLOOK DIS-
CREPANCIES IN SERVICE PASSPORTS (WHICH, YOU SHOULD POINT
OUT, WE ARE STILL UNABLE TO RECONCILE) AND USLO MAY ISSUE
NEW SINGLE ENTRY B-1 RPT B-1 VISAS. MFA SHOULD BE ADVISED
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THAT, IN FUTURE, ALL PASSPORT DOCUMENTATION SHOULD BE

CONSISTENT WITH OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED USG FOR ANY GIVEN INDIVIDUAL.

3. IF MFA INSISTS ON USE OF SERVICE PASSPORTS, A SIX DOLLAR FEE WILL HAVE TO BE CHARGED FOR NEW VISAS. USLO SHOULD POINT OUT THAT THIS IS IN ACCORD WITH RECENT DISCUSSION ON VISA FEES.

4. DEPARTMENT IS INTERESTED AS TO HOW USLO RESOLVED THE PROBLEM OF IDENTICAL PHOTOGRAPHS IN SEPARATE PASSPORTS (PARA 11 REF. A).

5. DEPENDING ON HOW THIS PROBLEM RESOLVES ITSELF WITH MFA, WE WILL DETERMINE WHETHER TO APPROACH THE PRCLO ON THE GENERAL ISSUE OF DISCREPANCIES.

6. FYI: THERE IS NO "OFFICIAL" D-1 CATEGORY AND USLO SHOULD NOT/NOT STAMP "OFFICIAL" ON SUCH VISAS IN FUTURE. KISSINGER

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